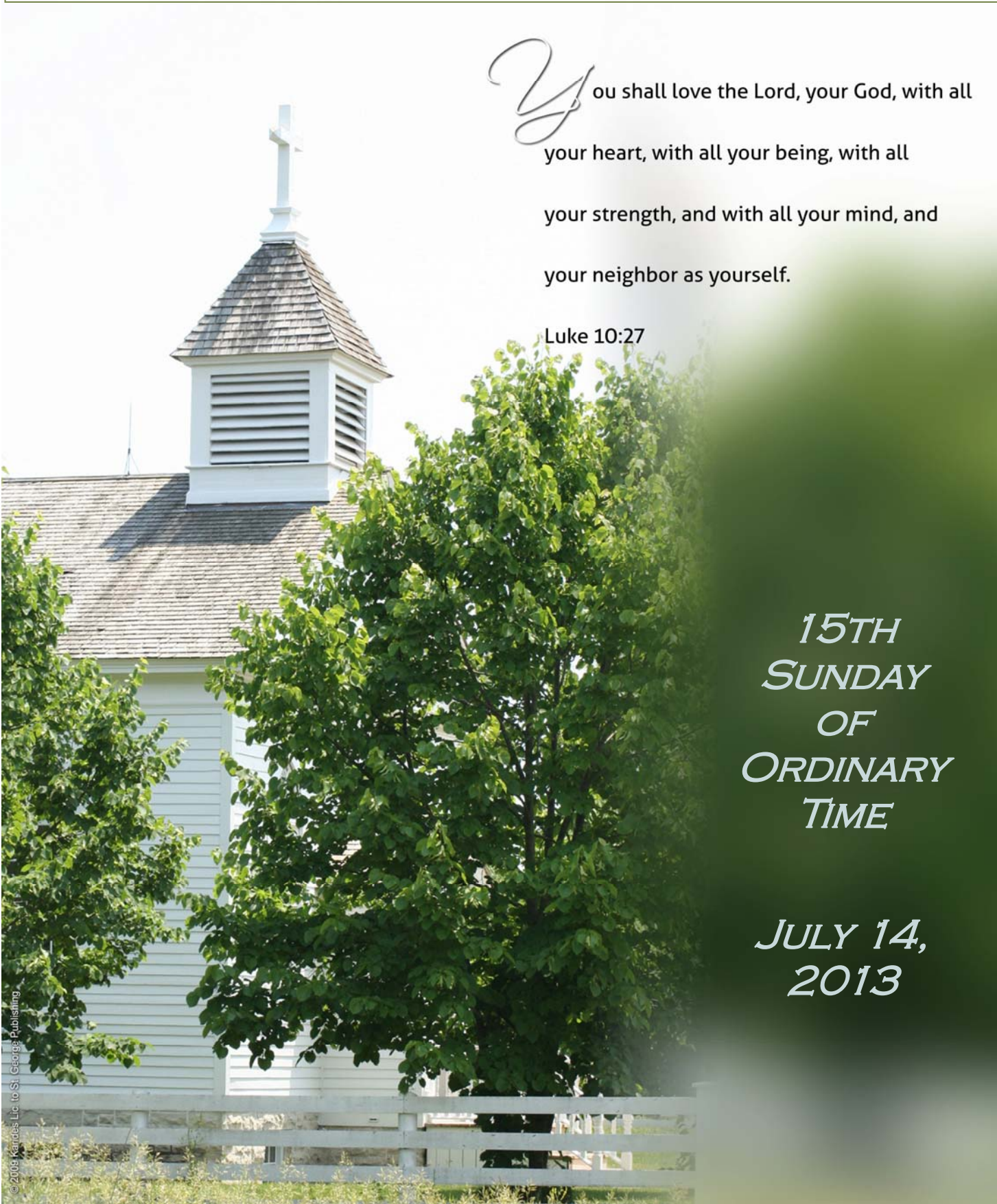


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WALTHAM ~ LEXINGTON



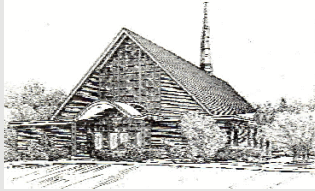
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Luke 10:27

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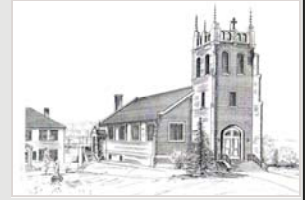
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Parish Office Hours—Monday-Friday 8:00AM-4:00PM
Academy Office Hours—Monday-Friday 7:45AM-2:45PM

Knights of Columbus - Parish Council #14710
New Members Welcomed - olkofc@olca.org or call 781-209-0842

PARISH STAFF

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MASS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8AM
First Friday Mass 9AM (only)
Saturday (Vigil) 4PM
Sunday 9AM, 11AM
Holy Day As Announced

BAPTISM

Opportunity to have child baptized during Mass or once a month at 12:15 PM on selected Sunday of each month. Please contact parish office.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements one year in advance by appointment with the priest or deacon. Please contact the parish office.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA)

Anyone interested in journeying in faith to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, Please contact the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE AND RECONCILIATION

Confessions will be heard every Saturday from 3:15 - 3:45 PM in the Reconciliation Room located just inside the front of the church at the handicap entrance, baptismal font side of church. Other scheduled opportunities throughout the year, as well as by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Sacrament of The Sick will be administered on the last weekend of each month after the 4PM and 11AM Masses. Who can receive this sacrament? Those who are aged, chronically ill, are having treatments or will be having surgery. We invite you to come receive the Sacrament of the Sick, a source of strength, healing and grace.

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion bring Holy Communion to those unable to attend Sunday Mass. Please contact the parish office to make arrangements.

For more information on the Catholic Faith visit www.usccb.org

Mass  *for the*
Intentions *Week*

Welcome!

Saturday July 13
4:00 pm Carol Taranto 1st Anniversary

Sunday July 14
9:00 am Eileen M. Maguire 9th Anniversary
11:00 am Deceased Members of the Ballo Family

Monday July 15
8:00 am Helen Poirier Memorial

Wednesday July 17
8:00 am Memorial Guild

Friday July 19
8:00 am June Arnold Memorial

Saturday July 20
4:00 pm Terry McGovern 1st Anniversary

Sunday July 21
9:00 am Paul Keady 1st Anniversary
11:00 am Vincent Morreale Birthday Memorial

PARISH REGISTRATION

Parish registration forms are available on the tables at the entrances of the church as well as on our website: www.olca.org. You can return the form to the parish office, mail it or simply drop it in the offertory baskets. Please notify Sharon in the parish office if you have an email or address change so we can update our records.



UPCOMING COLLECTIONS

July 13/14: Regular and Special Monthly
July 20/21: Regular
July 27/28: Regular

COLLECTION INFORMATION

July 6/7: \$4,571
Utilities and Energy: \$2.078

OUR LADY'S MEMORIALS

Stained Glass Window Lighting
Bread and Wine
Sanctuary Candle
Blessed Mother Statue

Remember a deceased or living loved one or a special intention by donating any of the above items. The donation for each memorial is \$50 for a week. If you are interested, contact Sharon in the parish office.

GARDENING ANGELS

Our Lady's is blessed with a beautiful property for all of us to enjoy. Members of the Gardening Angels meet at the church on Wednesday evenings during the summer at 6:00pm to work as a group on small tasks to keep Our Lady's property looking its best. Please join our fun group if you would like to help us beautify and maintain the grounds. No experience necessary, just a willingness to serve!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MEMBERSHIP: Are you over 18 years old? Would you like to help your family, your parish and/or your community? Why not join our council? If you could give up watch T.V. for just two hours a month you could help us help others. It's easy. Meet one of our Knights in the rear of the church after any Mass. Or email us at olkofc@olca.org. You can also call us at 781-209-0842.



MEMORIAL CANDLE STANDS

Please consider a candle in memory of a loved one or for a special intention, the candles are \$250 for the year and they burn from May to May or November to November. If interested, fill out the brochures on the tables around the church or contact Sharon in the parish office at 781-894-3481 x2.

Religious Education

REGISTRATION

Registration forms for 2013-2014 CCD year have been sent home. Please fill them out and return them as soon as possible. If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the parish office.

RELIGIOUS ED TEACHERS NEEDED

We are in need of catechists, instructional aides and hall monitors for the 2013-2014 school year. Please consider sharing your faith and knowledge with the youth of our parish in grades 1-10. We meet on Sunday mornings from 10-11:15 a.m. during the school year. If you are willing to help, we are willing to accommodate schedules. Please contact John Barry, Coordinator of Religious Education at 781-894-3481 x3 or religious-education@olca.org

ACTIVITIES CLUB NEWS

We will be hosting our 2nd annual Craft Fair on Saturday, September 7 from 10am-2pm. Cost of a table is \$25. If interested, please call Sharon in the parish office to reserve your space.

NOTES FROM ST. VINCENT DEPAUL



Our Lady's St. Vincent dePaul assists the needy of the parish. The food collection weekend is the third weekend of each month. Our next collection is next weekend, July 20/21. Requested donations are tuna fish, mayonnaise, jars of pasta sauce, small canned hams, peanut butter, jelly, cans of spaghetti O's or ravioli and children's snacks. These items can be left in the designated baskets at each door of the church. We appreciate and thank you for the continued support received from the parish which helps us fulfill the mission of St. Vincent dePaul to help those in need.

You shall love the Lord, your God,
with all your heart, with all your being,
with all your strength, and with all your
mind, and your neighbor as yourself.

Luke 10:27

OUR LADY'S 1000 CLUB

Join us for our next drawing **THIS Sunday, July 14 at 12:30pm** in the school cafeteria. **1000 Club memberships are \$55 for the year and make great gifts, please consider purchasing one.**

If you would like to join, simply fill out the bottom portion of this section and return to Sharon in the parish office. A number will be assigned to you and a letter sent out. Thank you in advance for your support of Our Lady's Parish Fundraisers.

**1000 CLUB
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM**

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

You have 12 chances to win monthly. Prizes are (8) \$50, (1) \$100, (1) \$200, (1) \$300 and (1) \$1,000.

There are several numbers left to choose from. If you would like to see if a particular number is available, you can either call Sharon in the parish office at 781-894-3481 x2 or simply come by the parish office Monday through Friday between the hours of 9am-3pm.

**ALL NIGHT EUCHARISTIC VIGIL**

As we did last year, Our Lady's will be hosting an all night Eucharistic Vigil in reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The vigil will begin on Friday, August 2 with 9:00pm Mass of the Sacred Heart and conclude on Saturday morning with a 5:00am Mass of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

The intention for the vigil is for Sean Cardinal O'Malley, O.F.M. Cap, and for all the priests in the Boston Archdiocese. The catechism on the Holy Priesthood by St. John Vianney, and Pope Francis prayer to "Our Lady, Untier of Knots" will be distributed to all who attend. Various spiritual exercises as recitation of the rosary, Stations of the Cross, Divine Mercy Chaplet will be recited throughout the night. Refreshments will also be served.

For more information;

- 978-453-7446
- contact helentherese@comcast.net
- national website: www.therealpresence.org
- EWTN website: Bulletin Event Announcements

**NORTH WALTHAM SENIORS
LOOKING AHEAD**

Tuesday, August 6: Hot Fun in the Summertime! The Log Cabin, Holyoke, MA. Lobster Feast and Show. Listen to the great music of "Doo-Wop", lead singer Jimmy Wilson and The Walls of Sound group. Lunch menu: welcome tray, clam chowder, boiled lobster, barbecued ribs and chicken. Each guest receives a complimentary glass of wine. Price is \$89 per person, includes deluxe motor coach leaving at 9:30am and returning approximately 6:00pm. If interested, contact Janet Gearty at 781-894-6867.

Thursday, October 8: Winnepesaukee Scenic Railroad "Turkey Train". 1st stop: The Christmas Tree Shop. 2nd stop: Winnepesaukee Scenic Railroad "Turkey Train". This 2 hour scenic train ride through the foliage filled countryside of New Hampshire is complete with a full, hand carved, hot turkey dinner served in coaches while traveling along the shoreline of the lake. 3rd stop: Apple Hill Farm. Price is \$79 per person includes deluxe motor coach leaving at 8:45am and returning approximately 6:45pm. If interested please contact Audrey Ricci at 781-899-8991. **WE NEED TO FILL THE BUS!**

ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER (EFT)

Please remember as we are in the midst of our summer months and vacation time, our expenses remain. If you know you are going to be away for an extended period of time, please consider signing up for our EFT program. It lessens the worries you may have about contributing consistently and it lessens our worries because we know we have the income of those who are away and participate in the program. Please call Sharon in the parish office if you would like to sign up.

PILGRIMAGE

St. James & St. John the Baptist Parishes, Haverhill

Poland & Eastern Europe 12 days

October 30—November 10, 2013

Warsaw-Krakow-Budapest-Vienna-Prague

Pilgrimage to the Shrine of the Divine Mercy, to Our Lady of Czestochowa, Wadowice, the birth place of Blessed John Paul II, Our Lady of Victories, where we will visit the famous infant of Prague and many other places.

\$2,999 from Boston (Air/land tour price is \$2,349 plus \$650 government taxes/airline fuel surcharges.

To request a brochure email augustine@yahoo.com for contact Fr. Agustin Anda at St. James and St. John the Baptist Parishes in Haverhill, MA at 617-990-7483.



CODE - BREAKER!

The sentence below is to be found in one of today's readings. Can you break the code and write in the sentence? Here are two clues: I = E and W = S.

Crossword solution from last week

S	K	Y		D	E	M	O	N	S
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GLVMWX NIWYW MW XLI

MQEKI SJ XLI MRZMWMFPI

KSH, XLI JMVWX - FSVR SJ

EPP GVIEXYVIW.

ANSWER. Christ Jesus is the image of the invisible God, the first-born of all creatures.

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15th Sunday of Ordinary Time

The mayor of a small town gave a speech about making the city better, one citizen at a time, block by block. A few men in our neighborhood took it seriously and began to clean up litter, tidy up a vacant lot and start a neighborhood watch program. Their motto was, "If you want a better neighborhood, be a better neighbor!" Their efforts were contagious and the neighborhood not only looked better, but it became a better place to live.

The Parable of the Good Samaritan is about loving others as God loves. There are no limits or restrictions. It's just one person—one neighbor—helping another, without regard for nationality, language or religion. We are all members of the same human family, all created by the same loving God. We cannot claim to be people of love if we fail to practice what we claim.

How do we become the Good Samaritan? Try random acts of kindness. Be more patient in traffic—even leaving the church! Give someone a helping hand. Buy someone's lunch—anonously. Send a thank you note. Forgive a debt—or a grudge. Call someone who needs a friend. Pray a little more. Make a good confession. Practice Lent in July. If you want a better Church, or if you want a deeper faith, work to be a better believer!

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